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30 November 1965

JOINT IMAGERY INTERPRETATION REVIEW GROUP

R&D PANEL

Minutes of Meeting - No. 2 - 30 November 1965

1. The JIIRG R&D Panel met on 30 November 1965 at NPIC with all members present except [redacted] CIA and Mr. Reuben Spellman, DDR&E. The Committee was briefed on the functions and activities of National Committee on Photographic Exploitation Equipment (COPE) by Col. G. T. Sowers, USAF, Chairman of the Committee. Copies of the charts used by Col. Sowers will be provided for reference.

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2. Following the briefing the Panel met and transacted the following business:

a. Minutes of meeting No. 1 should be changed by adding Task Team 6 to paragraph 3 so that it correctly reads: In addition to the scheduled presentation by the COPE Chairman, presentations may also be desired from ISCIG and other activities, particularly Dr. Ruth Davis as Chairman of CODIB Task Team 6.

b. The Committee will consider the problems of R&D coordination without regard to the source of funds, i. e., R&D or M&O, for the present.

c. JIIRG will be requested to provide a definition of image interpretation.

d. The Panel will not consider R&D work which may be done in other government agencies such as NASA, etc.

e. The Panel will consider R&D activities pertaining to processing equipment only to the extent that that equipment may be required in interpretation (as opposed to duplication for dissemination) processes. This will pertain to such techniques as image enhancement.

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f. The Committee will consider the R&D implications of all source information, including multi-sensor, as it pertains to interpretation.

g. Briefings by ISCIG, DDR&E and WESEG (Dr. Rabin) appear to be desirable at this time, in addition to a briefing by Dr. Ruth Davis, and arrangements will be made for these briefings.

h. Pertinent organizational charters will be collected and examined. ISCIG is in hand, and copies of the COPE presentation material will be provided.



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